



# BIG HOTEL BURNS; 25 ARE DEAD

Would Supplant Royalty With Lochinvar of Polo Field.



Miss Geraldine Graham.

## PRINCE'S GIRL-PARTNER FIGURES IN ELOPEMENT.

Geraldine Graham, Santa Barbara Playmate of Wales, Foiled in Runaway With Deering Davis.

BY BURTON L. SMITH.  
(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

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(BY A. F. NIGHT WIRE.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—Herbert Hoover tonight issued a statement defining his attitude toward the Presidency. He announced that he is not a candidate for the nomination, and that no one is authorized to speak for him politically.

## IRISH MOB THEATER OVER PIGS-IN-PARLOR SCENE AT THEDA BARA'S FILM PLAY

(BY A. F. NIGHT WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 8.—A pig appeared in the parlor of an Irish cottage and chickens walked up its stairs in scenes of a motion picture shown at a downtown San Francisco theater tonight. A party estimated by the manager, Frank A. McDonald, to have included twenty men, battered in the door of the theater's projecting room, tore up two films and removed two others and, according to McDonald, caused confusion in which several women fainted and were trampled, though not seriously.

## SCORES TRAPPED IN A MIDNIGHT BLAZE IN SAN FRANCISCO

(BY A. F. NIGHT WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Twenty-five bodies still were in the ruins of the Berkshire Apartment-Hotel, which burned early today, the fire department estimated at 2 o'clock, after a partial search of the building. The fire at that hour still was burning, but was believed under control. One body had been taken from the building and approximately twenty-five persons were at hospitals receiving treatment for injuries sustained in the fire.

## GERMANS GET ALLIED NOTE.

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

BERLIN, Feb. 8.—The Allied list of war criminals was issued yesterday by the Allies as the outcome of the refusal of Kurt von Lersner to transmit the list to the German government. President Bauer approved the government's refusal to transmit the list.

## MEXICAN SCRIPT TAKES PLACE OF METAL COINS

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Metal currency of all denominations has practically disappeared in Mexico, according to reports reaching Washington from Mexico City, and it is reported that the new paper currency is being issued by the government.

## SENATOR JOHNSON IS ILL WITH FLU.

(BY A. F. NIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Senator Johnson of California, who is ill at his home here with influenza, tonight was reported by his physician to be "about the same." The senator has been confined to his bed for several days, but his condition was said not to be serious.

## LATEST NEWS.

### Sinn Feiners Shipped

QUEENSTOWN, Feb. 8.—Twenty Sinn Fein prisoners, strongly guarded, were shipped to England today aboard two naval vessels.

### Pray for Rain, Get It

STOCKTON, Feb. 8.—Churches in the southern part of the country prayed for rain this morning. A heavy rain fell in the afternoon.

### Dr. Elmer Southard Dies

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—Dr. Elmer Southard, professor of neurology at the Harvard Medical School and assistant professor of psychology at Harvard, died today from pneumonia, aged 44 years.

### Admiral Peary Improves

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Admiral Robert E. Peary, discoverer of the North Pole, who is a patient at the naval hospital here, suffering from peritonitis, and who yesterday underwent a successful transfusion of blood, was said tonight to be much improved. An attendant at the hospital supplied the blood and it was said the admiral was so far improved that it would be possible for him to leave the hospital tomorrow.

## BULLETINS.

### BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

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TOKIO, Jan. 31 (Delayed).—Bolshevik uprisings against the Japanese on the island of Sakhalin are reported. Japanese troops have reinforced the peninsula at Sakhalin and it is reported Japanese artillery has been landed at land, trenches of the Japanese.

## TREATY IN PHELAN ON NEW FIGHT.

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(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—There is every indication tonight that the United States Senate will tomorrow take the treaty of Versailles where it was left off on the Senate floor on November 19 last and recommit it to the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations for consideration.

## DEMOCRATS IN LINE

A two-thirds vote will be needed to put through the Lodge motion. Senator Hitchcock, who has been leading the treaty fight for the Democratic side, said tonight that the Lodge motion would not pass.

## DYING, HE ASKS FOR 'BUBBLES'

Denver Man has Favorite Song Played as He Slips Into Great Beyond.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

DENVER, Feb. 8.—William B. Slaughter, advertising manager of the Neustetter Company, died in his apartment last night. He was a bachelor.

His last request was for the playing of the record of his favorite selection of the phonograph. He yielded to his request and he passed away to the tune of "Bubbles."

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## JAPS DENY LETTER.

"I observe that the Japanese Association of America has denied that it has sent a letter to Gov. Stephens, and denying any relation to any governmental body or representative of Japan. It will be noted that the Governor does not deny that he received a letter from the Japanese association."

## MENTION GULICK LETTER.

"The charge made by Senator Phelan that the Japanese Association of America is an organization which seeks to thwart the will of the people of California, aided by the power of Japan, and that Gov. Stephens is co-operating with the society, and has received a letter of thanks for his refusal to call a special session at the present time have been plainly stated by him several times."

"Whether the Japanese Association of America sent him a letter of thanks is not clear, but it is likely they did so. Some time since Mr. Kiyoshi Kawakami sent a letter to Dr. Gulick, which might be interpreted as an offer to provide him with funds not only greatly embarrassing the doctor, but reacting unfavorably on the Japanese association."

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# Will Defend Spiritualism as Scientific.

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# SCIENTISTS DISCREDIT LODGE'S SPIRITUALISM.

TAKEING STEPS TO PROVE HIS EVIDENCE IS "TOTALLY MISLEADING."

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—Scientists and psychologists in America are preparing to take steps to discredit as "totally unscientific and misleading" the belief in spiritualism on the basis of the kinds of evidence cited by Sir Oliver Lodge, according to Prof. Joseph Jastrow, who has occupied the chair of psychology at the University of Wisconsin since 1904.

Prof. Jastrow said yesterday that among those interested in offsetting the "extraneous views" induced by Sir Oliver were Professors Thorndike and Woodworth of Columbia University, Prof. Whitmer of Pennsylvania, Leuba of Bryn Mawr, Warren of Princeton, Watson of Johns Hopkins, Pillsbury of Michigan, Seashore of Iowa, Arps of Ohio and other scholars.

"It must not be supposed," said Prof. Jastrow, "that the silence of American men of science in regard to the pronouncement of Sir Oliver Lodge implies any measure of approval of his conclusions as to the evidence for survival." The psychologists are called on to consider the frequent habits of the mind. Through all areas people have believed in the survival of the personality on the basis of communications from the departed; the attempt to demonstrate the matter of knocks and raps and spirit forms and the revelations of mediums is an American invention about seventy years old. Such phenomena have been repeatedly investigated and have been universally found to be a dubious trade. They count upon the credulity of people when the wish to believe is strong.

"The tricks and devices by which the medium may be deceived and tamboreses rattled and plates written upon and sealed messages read, are common to all mediums. The tendency to accept such performance as evidence of the beyond keeps the beliefs alive.

So far as psychologists of standing are concerned, they have nothing but severe condemnation for the position which Sir Oliver takes in these matters. Naturally the psychologists are on to the tricks of the trade. President G. Stanley Hall of Clark University has investigated all sorts of mediums and finds fraud and deception, conscious or subconscious, everywhere. Prof. Snodgrass of Stanford University has devoted years of patient investigation to the matter under Stanford bequest for such research. His conclusions are totally negative.

"It must not be supposed that Sir Oliver has not been answered in his own country. Sir Edward Dudge, banker and anthropologist, has devoted a volume to the con-

# CHARGE FATHER WITH POISONING DAUGHTER.

DIVORCED WIFE STANDS BY HIM; MOTHER AND BROTHER ARE AGAINST HIM.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

ALLIANCE (Neb.), Feb. 8.—Lawrence Lackey, Alliance business man, is in custody without bond on a charge of murdering his seven-year-old daughter, Pauline, by giving her the poisoned candy. Lackey denied the charge. His divorced wife is standing by him, but his mother and brother are taking sides against him.

Lackey does not deny he gave the little girl candy. He even admits the candy may have been poisoned, but he denies that he knew anything about it. "He poison."

Pauline, the eight-year-old sister started for school. Lackey was with them. Between the house and the school Lackey pulled a box of candy from his pocket and gave each little girl a piece. That is what William, the surviving daughter, said. Lackey said the same thing.

"My, but this candy is bitter," Pauline said, after she had eaten the piece given her by the father. "It threw my piece of candy away after Pauline said it was bitter," William testified.

The children went on to school. Their father going with them to the door of the institution. Half an hour later Pauline was taken ill. A physician was called. The physician declared the little girl had been poisoned and was always gotten home she died in convulsions. When Lackey was arrested, his divorced wife came to his assistance.

"I know he is not guilty," she said. "He was always very fond of his children, never mistreated them, and loved them very much."

The crowd in the courtroom at the preliminary hearing applauded when the divorced wife testified in defense of her former husband. The court permitted the outburst to go unheeded.

The State claimed that Lackey "poisoned his little girl to prevent the disclosure of the supply of the stolen goods."

The prosecution tried to get the wife to admit that she had given the candy to her daughter. The wife refused to make any such admission.

The case will come up for trial in May.

# COLUMBIA OFFERING COMMUNITY COURSES.

ORGANIZATION AND LEADERSHIP TRAINING IN NEW CURRICULUM.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—Training courses in community organization and leadership, as part of the extension teaching facilities of Columbia University, opened today under the direction of LeRoy E. Bowman, formerly a member of the national headquarters staff of the War Camp Community Service.

Featured among the courses offered is one dealing with the practice of community organization, for which classes are held each Tuesday evening. There are no prerequisites for the course and the classes are intended for practical organization for those who intend to become such. There will be special talks by experts in subjects with which organizers should be familiar.

Special emphasis is laid in the courses on principles of leadership and methods of securing group results. The courses bring out the connection with community organization of various social agencies, examples of community service and neighborhood organization are studied with a view not only to discover forms of organization that are most effective, but to get the best possible personnel into community enterprises.

Experience in community service, peace-time outgrowth of War Camp Community Service, are to be drawn upon throughout the course. The courses will gain in value from the leadership of Mr. Bowman through his experience with War Camp Community Service.

Teachers' college is to have a course in community organization with special stress laid on public health. One object of the co-ordination of public health activities of a community with the recreational activities.

Plan Draining of Wine Grapes.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 8.—Thirty-five dollars per ton is the price being offered for the coming season's wine grapes, in portions of a Sacramento Valley. It is planned to dry the grapes.

# YANK PAJAMAS SUNDAY SUIT FOR RUMANIA.

RED CROSS HAS ALREADY DISTRIBUTED \$50,000 AND THE PEOPLE CRY FOR MORE.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

CHICAGO, Feb. 8.—They are wearing American pajamas all over Rumania, where the pajamas with little red, cross on the breast pockets. You can't walk down a street in Bucharest without seeing a few pairs being used as dress clothes.

Major Charles E. Spratt, for thirteen years head of the supply department of the American Red Cross commission to Rumania, supplied the pajamas among many other articles.

Maj. Spratt, who is in the United States, said that the supply of pajamas was not in Chicago yesterday and told of the pajama episode.

"You see I had to get all the food, hospital supplies and clothing distributed in Rumania from Paris," he said. "I rarely had all the things I wanted, and were always trying to unload on me what they did not want."

"The Red Cross had set over \$50,000 pajamas for use in the American hospitals and after the armistice the authorities could not dispose of them. Every time I made a request for supplies they tried to make me take orders."

"Finally I agreed to take 100,000 pajamas of their hands if they would give me the supplies I asked for. I did not know what I could do with the pajamas, but there was no use keeping them in the warehouses."

When those pajamas got to Rumania they went like hot cakes. The whole 100,000 were disposed of within a few days.

"The men wore them just as they were handed out, but the women made them over into all sorts of garments. Some were made into shirt waists and some were made into children's clothing. In some districts everybody was clad in American pajamas."

"I went back to Paris and had my initial order for pajamas duplicated. Before I left Rumania 200,000 of them had been distributed and the people wanted more."

# Copper Miners Threaten Strike.

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 8.—Notice that approximately 2000 copper miners employed at Bingham, Utah, and holding membership in the United Mine Workers' Union, Number 80, will strike next Tuesday, unless their demands for a flat wage increase of \$1 daily and medical care be met.

The strike was called by the union after the eight companies operating at Bingham had refused to meet.

## WAR TRAINING DIVIDES HOUSE

Universal Preparedness to Have Hard Sledding.

Cost of Maintenance is Chief Stumbling Block.

Many Congressmen Out of Sympathy with Idea.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Legislation providing for universal military training faces hard sledding at this session of Congress.

It may be passed by the Senate by a narrow margin, but it is overwhelmingly opposed in the House, where there is no chance of obtaining a majority in its favor unless the President should rally his party to its support.

Although it has been shown that universal military training would

cost not more than \$150,000,000, and that without it there would be required a larger regular army with the additional cost much more than that amount, the expense of the system is the principal objection raised by House members, an excuse not to take the cost into consideration by the people to the military training.

To meet the expense argument it has been proposed to provide for the creation of the system in the fiscal year 1931 with the stipulation that it should not be established and appropriation therefor made until the bill for the fiscal year 1932 is passed next year.

The following interviews indicate the sentiments of House members on the proposition:

Representative Madden, Illinois, Republican: I have always been for military training—I have not changed my mind. Of course, we've got to take the cost into consideration. If we can do it on a basis which will justify the assumption of the burden by the taxpayers, we should do so. The training from the health standpoint is worth consideration.

Representative Haugen, Iowa, Republican: I am for encouraging training in colleges and universities, but I do not think the adoption of a general system of training is advisable under present conditions in view of the expense involved.

Representative Benham, Indiana, Republican: I am absolutely against

the idea as it is ordinarily understood. All of the legitimate physical culture in schools that can be arranged for, I am in favor of, but not military training in the classrooms.

Representative J. C. Smith, Michigan, Republican: I am strongly in favor of universal military training. With our country filled with propaganda, we need it now.

VOLSTEAD AGAINST IT. Representative Volstead, Republican, Minnesota: I am against it. I have always been for universal training previously, but I am against it this year, under the prevailing conditions.

Members of the House who were noncommittal on the subject included Representatives McKenna, Graham, Ireland and Wheeler, Illinois, Republicans; Scott and Cramton, Michigan, Republicans; Foster of Wisconsin, Republican; Sanders and Vestal, Indiana, Republicans; and Sweet of Iowa, Republican.

## BELIEVE FIVE DROWN OFF COAST OF MAINE

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

ROCKLAND (Me.) Feb. 8.—The third mate, an engineer and three other members of the crew who left the 300-ton concrete shipbuilding boat steamer Polaris in a lifeboat after she struck on Old Cuddy point last night probably lost their lives. This opinion was expressed by coast guardsmen who rescued Capt. B. P. Cochran of Boston and twenty-eight members of the crew today.

No definite trace of the lifeboat has been found. The ship tonight was pounding heavily and leaking, but there was said to be possibility that she might be saved. The coast guard cutter Acushnet, to which the captain and other members of the crew were transferred, brought them here tonight.

## DODGE \$25,000,000 ESTATE LEFT WIDOW.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

DETROIT, Feb. 8.—The will of John Dodge, who died in New York a few weeks ago was filed yesterday in probate court. His estate passes in virtual entirety to his widow, Mrs. Mathilda R. Dodge and five of his children. The estate, valued at \$25,000,000, is left \$150 a month for life.

Mr. Dodge made no bequests to the public nor to any of his intimate friends except his personal attorney, Howard R. Bloomer, and his personal physician, Dr. William Chittick. Mr. Bloomer is bequeathed \$15,000 and Dr. Chittick \$25,000. The balance of the estate is left to his widow and five children.

Attorney Bloomer, who drew up the will, announced that failure to pay Mr. Dodge's estate that much money that he could go for the public should be done during his life under his own supervision. But his sudden death prevented the fulfillment of many plans which he had formulated for the benefit of the community.

Fire Engine to Museum. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 8.—An exhibit recently installed at the Memorial Museum at Golden Gate Park is the old volunteer fire engine presented by the citizens of Petaluma. This historic apparatus was the first ever brought out to San Francisco. It served its purpose well for several years, but eventually a steam engine took its place and Petaluma acquired it.

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## WET DEMOCRATS TAKING COURAGE

New Jersey Governor is the Hope of Tammany.

While Bryan and Cummings are Deeply Chagrined.

Repeal of Dry Law Injected as Democratic Issue.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.) NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—Gov. Edward S. Edwards of New Jersey, the so-called "wet hope" of the Democratic party, whose speech at the testimonial dinner for Chairman Cummings of the Democratic National Committee at the Hotel Commodore on Thursday night was uproariously received, was more talked about today by local Democrats than either Secretary Daniels or Chairman Cummings, whose speeches were designed to be at the keynote variety.

The way in which the managers of the dinner failed to keep the Governor of New Jersey out of the spotlight was in part in the Tribune today and it was the talk of the day among Democrats.

The Republican National Committee thinks so well of the New Jersey Governor's address as a campaign document it will be sent where it will do the most good—for the Republicans. Not only did Gov. Edwards' speech, but his speech, which he carried his fight for a repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment to the floor of the San Francisco convention.

WET, OH, SO WET!

The address of the Governor was particularly distressing to Chairman Cummings, who studiously avoided reference to prohibition in his speech, and who since the attack on him by Bryan a few days ago has been trying to square himself with the Bryan men. For the Governor to step forward again and assail Bryan and kick over the Cummings apple cart was an act that Mr. Cummings interprets as almost a personal injury at the hands of Gov. Edwards.

After paying his respects to Bryan, in which he intimated that the Nebraska statesman was financially interested in grape juice, Gov. Edwards sent a chill down the spine of those who are praying for the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment. He declared: "To me this political situation is a political sacrifice and I purpose to carry the fight to San Francisco."

Widows.

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In Tammany Hall this is accepted as a clean-cut acceptance of Col. Bryan's challenge for a fight over prohibition and the continuance of the Presidential campaign of Chairman Cummings as head of the committee.

LOWDEN MAKES PROGRESS. (EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—The campaign of Gov. Lowden for the Republican Presidential nomination has made marked progress in the last week, in the opinion of Representative Frank Smith, chairman of the Lowden Washington Committee.

Progress, he said, was particularly noticeable in Oklahoma, Missouri, Michigan and Iowa. Another Iowa member of Congress climbed aboard the Lowden band wagon today in the person of Representative Harry Hull of the Second District.

Indiana, it was announced tonight, will be organized next week for Senator Harding. Harry Dougherty, manager of Senator Harding's campaign, left Washington tonight and will spend two or three days in Indiana perfecting his State organization. He will have a number of conferences with the leaders in the Hoosier Republican organization, and will definitely announce the personnel of those to whom Senator Harding's interests will be confided in the primary campaign.

MISSISSIPPI FOR WOOD. Senator George F. Moses of New Hampshire, in charge of the Leonard Wood campaign in the South, received word today that the Mississippi Republican State Executive Committee has unanimously endorsed Wood and that the State chairman of the Mississippi State organization of the Republicans of Mississippi are for Wood.

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# Let Us Americanize America

## An Invitation to All

Chambers of Commerce  
Boards of Trade  
and Other Civic Bodies

Labor Unions  
Professional Associations  
Women's Clubs

Manufacturers Associations  
Rotary Clubs and  
Other Business Bodies

And All Other Organizations of Every Kind, Local or National

At its meeting on January 29, 1920, the Executive Committee of the National Board of Fire Underwriters unanimously adopted the following resolution:

**WHEREAS**, in the face of an active propaganda of disloyalty and the subversion of American ideals the time has arrived for an unmistakable expression upon the part of all those who are devoted to the Nation's highest interest, and

**WHEREAS**, the National Board of Fire Underwriters has already taken steps to organize the fire insurance forces of America into the Fire Insurance Americanization Movement, and has received enrollment pledges from many thousands of agents in all parts of the country, therefore be it

**RESOLVED**, that the Executive Committee of the National Board of Fire Underwriters invites the participation of all other organizations of whatsoever nature in a joint attempt to eradicate disloyalty and to promote the development of the Nation along sound and constructive lines.

The present emergency is as great as that presented by the War. America showed during the War that all classes of its citizens could act together effectively to a common end. It is as important today that all interests appoint **AMERICANIZATION COMMITTEES** for vigorous work in their respective fields as it was to form War Service Organizations during the War.

Methods can be considered later; the urgent need is for an immediate line-up of loyal Americans on the question of defensive and constructive patriotism.

We urge all who believe in the American principles of Liberty, Representative Government, the Supremacy of Law and the Enlightened Rule of the Majority to join with us in a general Americanization Movement. While each organization is able to devise its own methods and manage its own campaign, we have worked out the details of plans that are proving successful within our own ranks and we will gladly respond to inquiries from officials of organizations.

## We Must All Work Together for the Good of Our Country

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ball Prospects.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

Seattle is all agog with excitement. And underlying this agoging is a strain of sympathy for Los Angeles.

Up in the far Northwest, nobody can say hope for Los Angeles in the recent St. Louis deal in which number of good minor leaguers were purchased by the Cards, presumably for trading purposes in the season of some.

Seattle points out that Los Angeles has hope for little or nothing of St. Louis as the Siwash already have launched a full-rigged trading agreement with the Cardinals.

When it was announced that St. Louis had purchased infielder Morley and Catcher Hartley from the American Association and that the Griggs from Sacramento the superior gains began to rasp. All of the constructions were placed on the deal. However, the most popular theory was that they had purchased for trading material and the scribes in eight Coast cities searched for what is left from last year's teams, discovered that one more of these men would come right handy. So there was hope for the Cards. Nobody seemed to think that St. Louis himself might not fall players.

Considerable significance was placed on the fact that Red Killefer was in St. Louis shortly before the deal was made. Some professed to know of the deal the day Killefer was in St. Louis, although Red isn't sure.

Seattle says there is nothing whatever to that deal from a Los Angeles standpoint. Although it is rumored up there as well as here that the Angels could use Griggs, Morley and McAnley in their business.

The Siwash citizens point to the case of Lefty Thomas for Oscar Brown as proof that there is a psychic chord between Clyde and Branch Richey, if not an working agreement. And some say that this deal will be topped by another involving great names in baseball.

In fact, the Seattle are already enjoying mental gymnastics over the deal.

However, the fires of hope have been extinguished in the boom of Killefer missed fire in St. Louis. He will make a killing at the baseball confab in Chicago.

One of which is a reminder that the Siwash citizens are not to be taken for granted. The big deal will feature their schedules, the minors will endeavor to get in the good graces of the majors and the magnates probably adjourn after arranging the deal and the magnates probably adjourn after arranging the deal.

All is lovely in the National League and the American League. The American League owners are not expected to have the backing of the "solid five." On the other side of the "solid five" are New York, Chicago and St. Louis.

Baseball cities of the circuit are as solid as the five. Each is sticking together as solid as a block. Plainly, the "solid five" are determined that the go.

He is being pursued in the courts. They are all at a time when he got up all the holiday dates and the holidays.

That was when he squared the circuit. Comiskey wasn't enough unaided to unaided the game. Since then he has not mobilized sufficient money on his own.

At that, he seems to be a business man of big caliber. He has been accustomed to dealing with the courts. They are not going into court. Thoroughly baseball takes the court or the courts.

That answers the judicial question back to the May case. The court, which the present is a little doubt that Johnson has been right under the law.

There was a blow at baseball without discipline. The enemies of Johnson have united enough to intimidate the league. The principle of discipline was less concerned with the May case for the Cleveland club.

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# MATHIESON NEW SKATE CHAMPION.

CHRISTIANIA, Feb. 8.—Oscar Mathieson of this city defeated Robert McKinnon of Chicago, the world's skating champion, in the 1000-meter race today. Mathieson covered the distance in 2m. 27.4s, while McKinnon's time was two-fifths of a second slower.

Mathieson also won the 10,000-meter contest in 15m. 55.1-10s. McKinnon's time was 15m. 5s.

which point the scores were sent to the United States by cable.

The American League situation in New York was rather desperate. Apparently Frank Farrell was not prepared to stand the strain much longer.

So President Johnson and President Gilmore of the Feds were gunning for a fight with money.

Said O. W. M. happened to be Col. Ruppert and his partner was sleeping at a well-known health resort during the crisis.

Johnson and Gilmore registered at the hotel where Ruppert was sleeping. Then ensued the battle of diplomacy, and the more experienced tactician was.

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# UNIONS PEEVED WITH CONGRESS.

## Agitators Say that Both Houses Scorned Them.

Retaliate by Announcing Political Picketing.

To Adopt Sabotage Tactics for Coming Election.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Vigorously denouncing Congress, which it was said "has failed to do its duty," the American Federation of Labor today announced appointment of a national nonpartisan political committee which will mobilize trade unionists in an effort to defeat candidates indifferent or hostile to union labor, and to elect "true and tried" friends of the trade-union movement.

The campaign will be started immediately and pursued without relaxation through the primaries, in which the committee will assist candidates who are the widest possible nominees, and the widest possible nominees.

The committee will be composed of representatives of the various labor organizations, and will be organized on a national basis.

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## COUNTRY'S PACE IS "TOO FAST".

Time for a Check, Says Head of Big Chicago House.

Notable Party of Tourists Arrives from East.

Two Other Churches Launch Projects to Build.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENT)

PASADENA, Feb. 2.—That the United States is going at too fast a pace and that a check is needed to save trouble in the assertion of John O. Shedd, of Chicago, president of the Pasadena branch of the United States Public Health Service, arrived today to spend the winter at his Pasadena home. "We are not sure," said Shedd, "but I think the United States is going at too fast a pace and that a check is needed to save trouble in the future."

According to Mr. Shedd, England has to stop buying in the United States with the pound at \$2.50 and the dollar at \$4.00.

"England," said Mr. Shedd, "cannot afford to pay the dollar with the pound at \$2.50 and the dollar at \$4.00. It is a good thing that this exchange has arisen as it may check the too high momentum with which business is proceeding. Our salt must be slackened."

Discussing business, Mr. Shedd stated that everywhere business conditions are running at top speed. The mills of the Marshall Field & Co. are running at top speed. The mills of the Marshall Field & Co. are running at top speed.

Big Tourist Party. Including twenty prominent Chicagoans and bringing with it nearly that many servants, the largest single party of tourists of the winter reached here today. The party was headed by Mr. Shedd, who is a regular winter visitor to the Pasadena branch of the United States Public Health Service.

The party was immediately taken to the Hotel Pasadena, where reservations had been made for it and where most of its members will remain throughout the winter.

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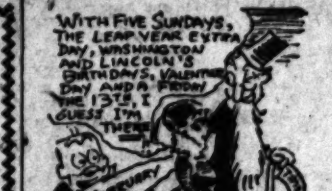
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## THE WEATHER.

LOCAL OFFICE U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 2.—(Reported by R. H. Hower, meteorologist.) At 5 a.m. today, the thermometer indicated 23.5; at 5 p.m. 23.5. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 23.5 and 23.5. Relative humidity 5 a.m., 62 per cent; 5 p.m., 62 per cent. Wind 5 a.m., north; 5 p.m., north; 5 p.m., north; 5 p.m., north.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—(San Francisco, California.) Monday, fair; moderate southerly wind.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—(Washington, D. C.) Monday, fair; moderate southerly wind.

TEMPERATURES.

VITAL RECORD.

DEATHS.

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CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Sugar is dear, salt is cheap and they look alike.

That grocer is trying to profit in sugar. If he had tried to put salt in it I would have been able to see it. But I couldn't see it.

IDENTIFY NEAR EAST RELIEF MEN MURDERED

BODIES OF AMERICANS KILLED BY TURK BRIGADES ARE NOT RECOVERED.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—James Perry and Frank Johnson, Americans, were killed in the recently reported attack by Turkish brigades on a convoy for American relief supplies near Antakya, in Syria, Assistant Secretary of State Johnson said today.

THE LATEST ADVICES RECEIVED FROM ANTAKYA, SYRIA, SHOWED THAT THE BODIES OF THE TWO AMERICANS HAD NOT BEEN RECOVERED.

THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE HAS FORWARDED THE INFORMATION REGARDING THE MURDERS TO THE AMERICAN COMMISSION FOR THE RELIEF OF THE NEAR EAST, WHOSE HEADQUARTERS ARE IN NEW YORK, AND UNDER WHOSE AUSPICES THE AMERICAN RELIEF SUPPLIES ARE BEING SENT.

SAN FRANCISCO AVERSE TO GRONNA GRAIN BILL

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—Predicting panic financial loss and ruin and a shortage of flour, the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce yesterday sent telegraphic protests to all California Senators and Congressmen in Washington against the passage of the Gronna bill, which provides for the termination of the wheat guarantee.

THE TELEGRAMS CITE THAT THERE IS A GREAT SURPLUS OF WHEAT ON THE PACIFIC COAST AND THAT CARE OF THIS SURPLUS THROUGH EXPORTATION IS BEING GIVEN THROUGH THE SUPPORT OF THE GRAIN CORPORATION, LARGE ACCUMULATIONS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED FROM THE BANKS BY PRODUCERS, GRAIN MERCHANTS AND MILLERS AS A RESULT OF THE GUARANTEE, AND THERE WILL BE "FINANCIAL LOSS AND RUIN" IF THE GRONNA BILL IS ADOPTED.

THE WARNING ALSO PREDICTS A CURTAILMENT OF MILLING AND CONSEQUENT SHORTAGE OF FLOUR.

## DEATHS.

With Personal Announcements.

PETERSON, At Denver, Colo., Joseph C. Peterson, died of heart failure, Feb. 1, 1935.

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**GIVES INSIDE FACTS ON TURKISH POLICY**  
SAN ANTONIO MAY BE RECENTLY FORMATION FROM THE OFFICE OF ROBERTS COLLEGE.

**KEYS USE IN COURT.**  
Dr. Gates says that in the ability of the new Turkey which is in the hands of the fall of the Damad Pasha, last October will see an understanding with the Turkish forces under Mustafa Kemal.

**ARMED MEN IN COURT.**  
There has been a number of armed men in the courtroom during the trial of the juvenile delinquents. The judge has ordered that the armed men be removed from the courtroom.

**MURDERER STAYS IN PRISON VOLUNTARILY.**  
A man who was convicted of murder has stayed in prison voluntarily. He has been in prison for several years and has been very well behaved.

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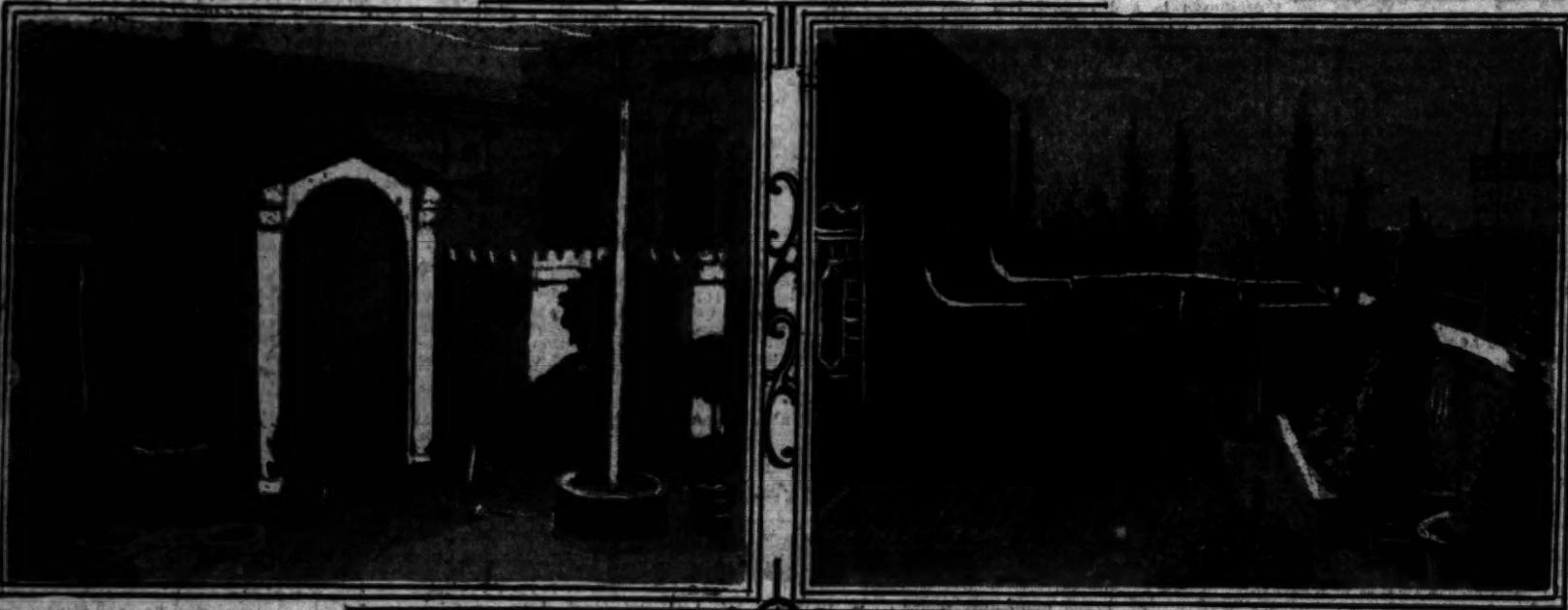
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LOS ANGELES

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## A Bungalow Home that is A Hundred and Fifty Feet Above Broadway.



The picture on the left shows the entrance to the Story bungalow; that on the right the tea garden, looking south, with Bullock's on the right.

### RULES ARE UPHHELD.

**Decision of Importance to Fruit Associations Is Handed Down.**  
A case which had been watched with interest by all the fruit-marketing associations of the state was decided Friday when Judge E. H. West of Santa Ana handed down a decision in favor of the Anaheim Citrus Fruit Association in a suit brought by it against J. C. Keenan for violation of the association's rules. The case is the first to be brought to the Superior Court of the state and will effect all the non-profit co-operative organizations of California. It is stated.

**ATTACKS LAW LACK.**  
Merritt Eugene, boarding agent on the Santa Ana, was arrested on a charge of attacking a law officer. He was charged with assaulting a police officer who was enforcing the law.

**SUICIDE SUSPECTED.**  
A man identified by the police as Joseph C. Peterson, of Los Angeles, was found in a Denver hotel room with a bullet through his brain Saturday night, according to dispatches from that city. No street address was disclosed.

**WRITES COMPOSITION IN BANKER'S MEMORY.**  
The Los Angeles Symphony Orchestra will pay a tribute to the memory of the late Stoddard Jewett at the concert February 17, when a specially written composition by Adolf Thaler will be played.

**DE LUXE STORE PLAN ENDS IN LEGAL FIGHT.**  
A well-known woman's venture as a caterer to fashionable trade at 1233 Shatto street was revealed Saturday when H. B. Crouch, jeweler and dealer in antiques, brought suit against Mrs. Thomas O'Brien Hughes for a claim and delivery for 1920-21. Mrs. Hughes claims that she had a claim of \$1675.50. Judge Reese, acting as presiding judge, granted an injunction preventing the disposal of the articles named and set the hearing in Judge Jackson's court for next Friday. Attorneys Blodgett and Lewis represent Mr. Crouch.

### BREAKS LONG DRY SPELL.

**Rain is General Over Southland; Even Imperial Valley Gets Wetting.**  
Following are figures on yesterday's rainfall, with totals for the season and last season also given:

Station	Amount	Season	Last season
Los Angeles	.10	1.25	1.25
San Francisco	.10	1.25	1.25
San Diego	.10	1.25	1.25
San Jose	.10	1.25	1.25
San Antonio	.10	1.25	1.25
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### TWO IS AUTO DEATH TOLL.

Struck down and run over by an automobile believed to have been stolen earlier in the night, L. M. Counts, 306 South Washington street, Whittier, was injured, near Montebello shortly after midnight, according to the report from Marshal Herr of Montebello to the Sheriff's office.

**FLEES WITH GUESTS' COIN.**  
A man known to the police as Jack Ross was only an elevator man and night porter at the Hotel Lee, 123 West Sixth street, but he made the most of his opportunities, early yesterday morning, when he acted in the capacity of a night clerk for about two hours, and had valuable entrusted to him for safe-keeping, valued at more than \$1000. Now Ross is missing, and is being sought by the police.

**SHIP WOMAN'S BODY.**  
The body of Mrs. Virginia Boutwell Low, who died last Tuesday in a dentist's chair while undergoing treatment, was shipped to Spokane Saturday to be buried beside her late husband, James R. Low.

**ONE WOMAN JUROR.**  
Six of seven in trial panel fail to qualify.

### PROSPECTS OF PHONE STRIKE GO GLIMMERING.

**UNION AGITATORS WHO WOULD HAVE WORKERS QUIT GET LITTLE ENCOURAGEMENT.**  
Prospects of another telephone strike here in the near future dwindle somewhat yesterday when union agitators failed to draw a large crowd of electrical workers at a meeting in the Labor Temple. The attendance was small and the interest was none too keen. It seems that only the construction gangs working for the Southern California Telephone Company are favorable to a strike, and that probably no more than 15 of these could be gotten out.

### RINGS ARE EVIDENCE IN HOMICIDE ACTION.

**MAY BE INTRODUCED AGAINST WOMAN CHARGED WITH AN ILLEGAL OPERATION.**  
Nine rings found in a safe in her home may be introduced in evidence today at the hearing in Justice Palmer's court of Mrs. Lila Allen, accused of the murder of Elsie Allen, who is declared to have died the result of an illegal operation.

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**TWO AWAIT SENTENCE.**  
One Convicted Under Dry Law, Other Guilty of Stealing Freight.

**DR. HOMER ENDS LIFE IN TRAIN.**  
World-Hunted Swindler has Sensational Exit.

## ERECTS VILLA ON SKYSCRAPER.

**Walter P. Story Chooses Roof as "Bachelor" Retreat.**  
High up in the air above the rush and swirl of Broadway traffic, atop one of Los Angeles' tallest office buildings, is nearing completion a bungalow home, which for uniqueness of arrangement, quaintness of design, and inviting hospitality has no counterpart in America. It is the "bachelor nest" which Walter P. Story is building for himself on the roof of the office structure, which bears his name, at Sixth and Broadway.

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even my shoulders that  
had every time I  
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could not do justice to  
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health and from this time  
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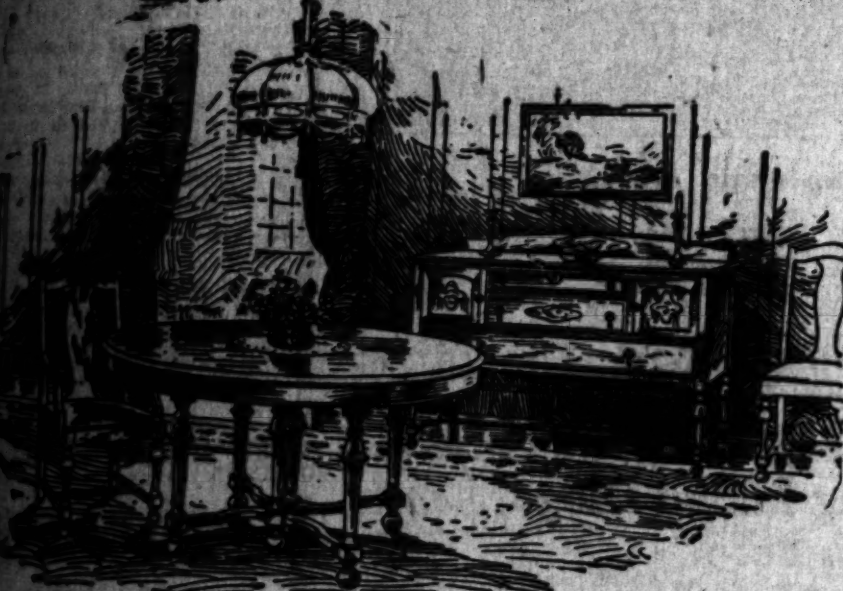
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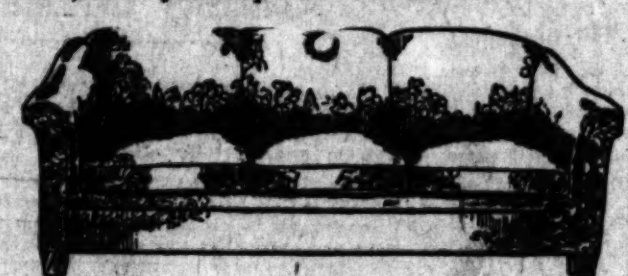
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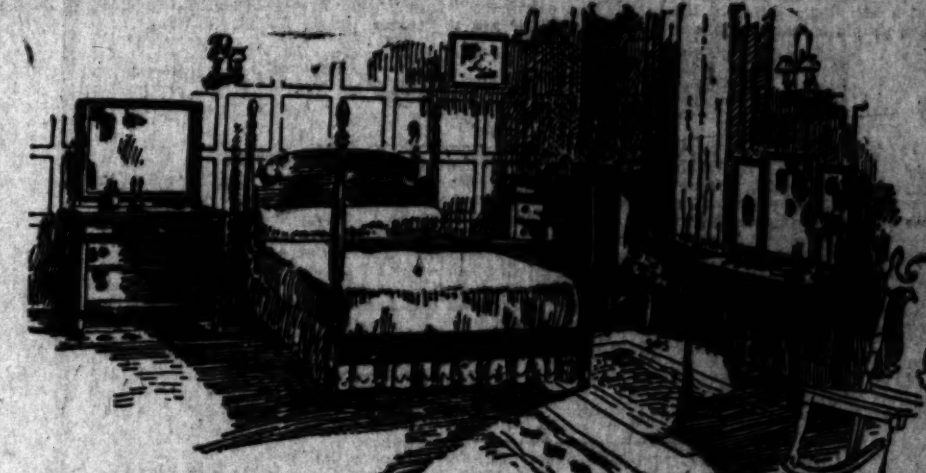
—like the davenport, this comfortable rocker has a loose seat cushion and the arms and back are also spring construction. Covered in excellent tapestry and underpriced in the sale at \$98.50.

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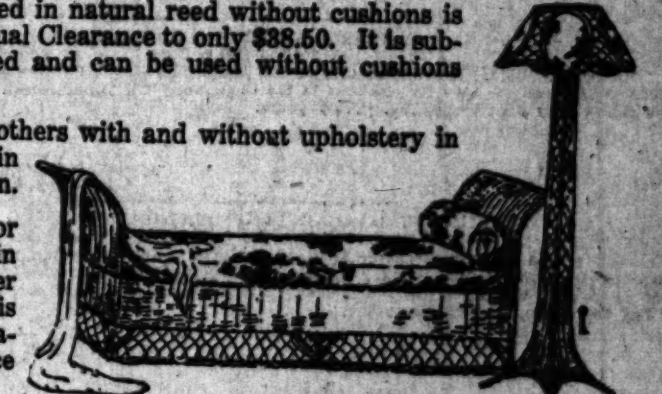
Dresser .....	\$72.00	Dressing Table .....	\$46.80
Princess Dresser .....	\$72.00	Writing Desk .....	\$28.35
Vanity Dresser .....	\$114.75	Bedside Table .....	\$13.00
Chiffonier With Glass .....	\$63.00	Twin or Full Size Bed .....	\$41.40
Chiffonier Without Glass .....	\$42.00	Dressing Bench .....	\$9.65

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*John J. Speckels*

Former Mayor of San Diego, CHAS. F. O'NEALL, 943 Sixth Street.  
Mr. Mayor:—I enclose check for \$100 to pay for one share of your Community Oil Well. Permit me to congratulate you for starting something and to express the hope that success will crown your efforts. An oil well here would mean more than a new railroad to this town. I, of course, hope you will find oil, but win or lose, you deserve the thanks of the City for your willingness to take a chance and in initiating the drilling. Wishing you every success, I am, yours very truly,

*Chas. F. O'Neill*

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*Ed Fletcher*

**UNION TITLE COMPANY of San Diego.**  
Hon. Louis J. Wilde, Mayor of City of San Diego, San Diego, California. Dear Mayor:—Please find check enclosed for \$100 to apply on the oil project as outlined in the daily papers. The idea is a splendid one and I hope money enough may be subscribed to put down test wells in at least a half dozen different localities. The originality of your plan deserves hearty response from the people of San Diego, and I, for one, tender you my thanks, oil or no oil. Cordially,

*Joe Monrois*

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*Ed Craig*

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*John Speckels*

**Eva, Oahu, Hawaii, Box 55.**  
L. J. Wilde, Mayor of San Diego, California. Honorable Sir:—Have cabled to you one hundred dollars (\$100). I wish the same to be applied to your "Community Well" proposition. Good luck.

*A. L. De Temple Sr.*

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**M'ADOO TAKES LEASE ON TEXAS OIL LAND**  
(Associated Press)  
Fort Worth, Tex., Nov. 4.—William G. M'Adoo, former Secretary of the Treasury, today bought a 30-acre oil lease near Wichita Falls, paying \$1000 an acre. "I am willing to take a chance," was the only comment he made.

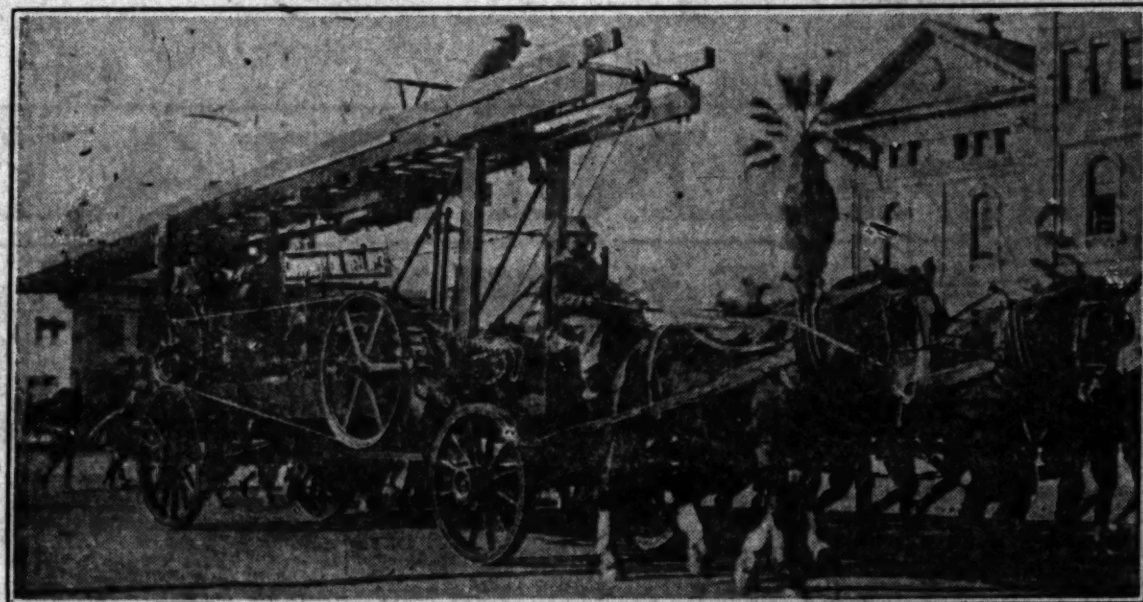
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THE SAN DIEGO UNION: SUNDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 28, 1919

## Community Oil Well Outfit Attracts Attention On Its First Trip Through San Diego Streets; Will Be Placed in Operation Near San Diego

Community oil well outfit No. 3 passing up Broadway yesterday from the railroad yards. It was viewed by many interested San Diegans and tourists. This Okell combination core-standard and rotary rig outfit was purchased by Mayor L. J. Wilde in Los Angeles and soon will be placed in operation. An ingenious plan has been prepared for much development work here and elsewhere.



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If there is any reward for telling the truth and showing up the very best side of this Community Oil and other development work, please send me your check for the number of units you can easily afford to carry and for the amount you can easily afford to lose without strings attached.

Will assume the charge of insisting that every unit holder gets a square deal, but cannot afford to worry about anything except the commitments herein contained. If you do not hear from us as often as you would like—don't worry—we are hard at work and when there is anything important you should know, you will be informed about it at the proper time. This saves much work and expense when you realize there are many unit holders.

There are no assessments or forfeitures nor will any unit holders be subject to any liability or annoyances for under no circumstances will we go in debt. Every unit holder, from first to last, participates in everything, win or lose. Please send any change of address, and if you transfer or lose unit receipt, notify this office at once, so we may protect you. This caution is given because there is a demand for these units and they are quite negotiable as every one issued by this office represents One Hundred Dollars cash. No commissions have been paid, no solicitations are sent out and no promotion has been allowed. For this reason they represent one hundred cents on the dollar, less actual operating expense, advertising, royalties, securing of property and legitimate overhead.

Condensing a statement for publication, we have a complete organization, something like eight thousand acres optioned, leased or purchased in San Diego County, Mexico and Texas, three unusual leases of twenty-four acres, seventy-nine acres and one hundred acres, along the structure close to drilling and producing wells, in the Desdemona field, Texas. Our development work at the present time is being confined to San Diego County, where we have large lease holdings, three complete drilling rigs and something like six thousand feet of casing and pipe, one fast drop drill for prospecting, one Okell Combination Core-Standard-Rotary drill, and one heavy standard rig, all outfits complete and delivered upon the ground, Grant Pennington, of the Montebello field, Superintendent in charge, one Packard three and a half ton truck, one small Ford truck, two Dodge cars for field work, C. J. Smith, geologist and chemist, formerly with the United States Steel Corporation and Hercules Company, in charge of accounting, State requirements on housing conditions met, permit to drill issued and authorized by California State Mining Bureau, all employees protected by indemnity insurance as required by law, over \$60,000.00 cash in the bank, all bills paid, and no liabilities of any nature outstanding.

No promises can be made except a dependable, above-board, square deal, as this is a jazz-cat gamble, pure and simple, and you should go in with a long-shot understanding, changing the amount you can well afford to lose without any strings to it whatever.

**X On the other hand, should San Diego County, or elsewhere, furnish a community oil producer, and any other important hidden values, your one hundred dollar unit gamble could be worth upwards of \$20,000. This is made possible only under a comprehensive, co-operative system of the unit community plan—large acreage—small capital—home development—nerve—cash and good boosters to back you up. THIS IS A JACK-POT FOR SOMETHING WORTH WHILE OR NOTHING. X**

Please do not write long letters—questions answered here—no prospectus, literature or unnecessary expenses.

Write your name and address plainly and send your check or draft to L. J. Wilde, 377 Spreckels Building, San Diego, California

GROVE CITY COLLEGE, GROVE CITY, PA.

What Prof. Arthur Ramsey of the Department of Mathematics, says:

Mr. L. J. Wilde, San Diego, Cal. Dear Mr. Wilde: I am enclosing herewith a receipt for my certificate for one more unit in the Community Oil Well. At this time I can hardly refrain from venturing a few words of encouragement, however, little they may be needed. Doubtless you have read of the wonderful McKeesport Gas field and of Mr. Foster who put McKeesport on the map, in gas circles. I was over to McKeesport two weeks ago—it is about a hundred miles from Grove City—and saw firsthand some of the excitement over there as a result of the discovery of the great gas field. Partnerships similar to the Community Oil Well are being organized and capitalized at from \$20,000.00 upward to \$125,000.00, consisting of from 200 shares to 1000 shares or more, and in some cases are sold out in four or five days. As a man over there said, McKeesport is gas mad. Now, by the way of encouragement, I heard it remarked over there that Mr. Foster put down eleven unprofitable wells before he struck the big one, the \$5,000,000 ca. ft. gusher, which is said to yield the shareholders about \$2300 per month on an investment of \$150. Mr. Foster had the advantage, however, of operating in a field in which there was known to be some gas, that is, it was not an absolutely unproven field. I am thinking of Broadway, San Diego, from the San Diego Hotel up to Sixth or Seventh streets, windows here and there on either side of the street bedecked with derricks and advertising partnerships—"The Reliance Oil and Gas Co." "The Pinnacle Oil and Gas Co." "The Smith Oil and Gas Co." "The San Diego Development Co." etc., etc. Can these things be? Can such a dream come true? It seems to me it is up to you, Mr. Wilde, now or never. Yours Truly,

Among these letters many from very prominent people—the initials on file at Community Oil Office, Spreckels Bldg., San Diego, California.

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## Financial, Business, Mining and Oil News

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All Germany to be in "Hock"  
Pay Day, Writer Declares.

Calls Issuance of Marks a  
Financial Scapa Flow.

Get Gold or Chattel or Don't  
Sell to 'Em, is Advice.

BY COL. E. F. BROWNE.  
The German mark, nominally  
worth 23 1/2 cents, is now quoted  
at less than 1 1/2 cents, and it is the  
evident intention of the present  
"dummy" Reichsbank government to  
sell the men in charge of the Reichsbank

to make the German mark as worthless as the Austrian crown or the Bolshevik ruble of Russia. A credit in German marks now means that you have lost your money and you have given them a present of your goods to boot. There is no sense in arranging a sale of anything to Germany unless the gold is paid or a definite chattel mortgage secured on available and convertible products of some kind. A credit in marks in Germany will be of no value by July.

FIND OIL NEAR  
U. S. RESERVES.

Development Work Pushed in  
Bakersfield District.

Build Electric Power Plant to  
Operate Pumps.

Drillers will go to Africa and  
South America.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE)  
BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 8.—Development work in the Elk Hills and Maricopa districts by the Standard Oil Company, which has been pushing up large areas adjoining the government reserve lands as good producing territory.

cost approximately \$1,000,000 and will utilize much of the gas now going to waste.

This unit will give an increase in capacity of 17,500 horse power and will give oil companies an opportunity to hook up with electrical power, where now the old steam boilers and gasoline engines are used for pumping. The present plant in Bakersfield is being divided in size and capacity at an expense of more than \$1,000,000.

The Associated Oil Company has started another well in wildcat territory near Saco, north of Bakersfield in section 28, 28-27, where it has just finished its first well. The showing was creditable in the first week of February.

The Standard Oil Company has concluded drilling of a well in section 2, 28-27, five miles north of where the Associated is drilling. The company is reticent regarding its findings in the new well, but preparations for drilling of other wells are going forward.

Of twenty-five new wells started in California during the past week, fifteen are in Kern county, divided in the following manner: Midway, three; McKittrick, three; Sunset, two; Lost Hills, three; Kern River, three. Eight wells in Kern are being deepened or re-drilled, while twenty-one last week were put under test for water shut-off.

Water troubles have temporarily blocked the deepening of the General Petroleum Company's well on section 16, 28-23 in the Elk Hills.

Harold Orloff of Fair, last week found a sufficient supply of water to hand drilling tools available to ship two carloads to New Orleans where they will be transported to South America. Many drillers and other field workers are going to South America.

Percy Williams, oil operator and formerly with the producing department of the Southern Pacific in Kern county, has been chosen to succeed the late Charles E. Ballough in charge of extensive oil property in that country. Ballough died of pneumonia last week in New York for Africa. Williams will take with him to Africa several crews of Kern county men.

Gold ore running 1500 to 2000 tons has been discovered in the Blue Mountain mine, near Woody, thirty miles northeast of here, according to J. W. Howard who brought a sample of the rock to Bakersfield this week. According to Howard the mine is down 450 feet, with 20,000 tons of ore blocked.

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